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## APPLICATION

Honorable James E. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
Louisiana Office of Conservation  
P.O. Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

RE: Valentine Sand, Reservoir C  
South Coast 3 SW Sand, Reservoir E  
Acosta Sand, Reservoir F  
Valentine Field  
Lafourche Parish, LA

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E & P, LLC** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters in the **Valentine Sand, Reservoir C**, the **South Coast 3 SW Sand, Reservoir E**, and the **Acosta Sand, Reservoir F**, in the Valentine Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana, to-wit:

1. To establish rules and regulations and create a single drilling and production unit for each reservoir for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate, such units being designated VALENTINE RC SUA, SC3 SW RE SUA and ACOSTA RF SUA;
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed units, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;

3. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify each of these reservoirs by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics of the reservoir change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation; and
4. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Valentine Sand in the Valentine Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana was previously defined by Order No. 280-A-9, effective July 18, 1990.

The South Coast 3 SW Sand in the Valentine Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana was previously defined by Order No. 280-12, effective May 4, 1983.

The Acosta Sand in the Valentine Field, Lafourche Parish, Louisiana was previously defined by Order No. 280-N-4, effective August 23, 1994.

A conference to discuss the proposed application and any opposition thereto was held at 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, October 2, 2003, at the Onebane Firm, 102 Versailles Blvd., Suite 600, Lafayette, Louisiana. A list of the parties who attended the pre-application conference is attached. Randall Songy, attorney for the Applicant, opened the conference with a brief discussion of the Rules of Procedures. Leon Comeaux, geological consultant for the applicant, explained the Applicant's proposal and the geological, engineering and other bases therefor, and answered questions. Counterplans were shown by David Sturlese, on behalf of Del Mar Farms, Inc., and by Louis Gilbert, on behalf of Eunice Allemand, et al. The parties were unable to resolve their differences at the conference, and it was then adjourned.

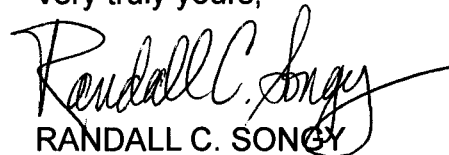
The Applicant considered the positions presented at the Pre-Application Conference, and further analyzed its data, and as a result, has revised its unit proposals from those shown at the Pre-Application Conference. Because of the change in the Applicant's unit proposals and the delay in filing this Application, the Applicant **WILL HOLD** a Pre-hearing Conference on Wednesday, May 4, 2005 at 3:30 p.m. at the City Club at River Ranch, 1100 Camellia Blvd., Lafayette, Louisiana (Phone: 337-216-6507).

Pertinent data relating to the proposed application can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, by contacting **Bill McAlister at Leon Comeaux & Associates, 305 La Rue France, Lafayette, Louisiana, 70508, (337)233-9839.**

There is attached hereto and made a part hereof plats outlining the proposed units and a list of the names and addresses of the interested parties to whom this unitization proposal is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished ONLY to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, the list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy of it. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, there is enclosed a check in the amount of \$2,265.00, made payable to the Louisiana Office of Conservation, in payment of the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



RANDALL C. SONGY

RCS/elg/bad  
Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, District Manager  
Office of Conservation

cc: All Interested Owners, Interested Parties and  
Represented Parties

**P.S. To all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties:**

You may have received this Application even though your property is not included in the proposed unit, because the Revised Rules of Procedure require us to attempt to also notify everyone owning an interest in the area "proximate to" the proposed units.

Your receipt of this Application does not require you to take any action. It is meant to notify you of these proceedings so that you have the opportunity to participate if you so desire.

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Judy Allemand Crestini, et al

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Blake P. Pires, et ux  
Bryant P. Pierce, et ux  
Stanley Dufrane

Green Arpent Farms, Inc.  
Country Arpents, Inc.

Del Mar Farms, Inc.

Anton L. Weld, et al  
Rudolph B. Lantz, Sr., et ux

Alfred Delaune  
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Julian Gunther & Joseph Delaune  
Madeleine Delaune Landry  
Bernice Coates

Mona Allemand Pierce  
Eunice J. Allemand, Sr., et al

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VALENTINE FIELD LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA	
PROPOSED UNIT VALENTINE SAND Geology by: William S. McAlister, Jr.	
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DATE:	
LEON E. COMEAUX & ASSOC. GEOLOGISTS	

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VALENTINE FIELD	
LAFOURCHE PARISH, LOUISIANA	
PROPOSED UNIT	
SOUTH COAST 3 SW SAND	
Geology by: William S. McAlister, Jr.	
0 1000' 2000'	
DATE:	
LEON E. COMEAUX & ASSOC. GEOLOGISTS	

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